

## Commissioners' First Meeting Postponed

The first meeting in 1983 for the County Commissioners—the organizational meeting—has been postponed because of illness to three commissioners, Jeannette Kitchen, Andie Neilson, and Larry Mattis.

The first meeting was rescheduled from Tuesday, Jan. 4, to Tuesday, Jan. 11. Two new commissioners, Don Welser and Garland "Bud" Joyce, will be joining the commission. Welser, Kitchen, Neilson, Mattis, John Miller, and Mary Harland have already been sworn in for new two-year terms following the November election. Joyce, out of town when the others were sworn in, will be sworn in before the first meeting.

## Ski Classes To Begin At Hanson Park

Pending the arrival of the much needed white commodity, ski lessons will be getting underway at Hanson Park on Saturday morning, January 10, with additional classes scheduled to begin on Sunday morning and Monday evening.

The Saturday morning class, which begins at 9 a.m., is a beginning ski class for all children of the area up to the age of fifteen. Cost of the class, which lasts for six weeks, is just \$25. Included in the registration fee is the cost of instruction, equipment, and a half-day tow ticket.

The Sunday morning class, which begins at 10:00 a.m., is a racing class for all students of grades 2 through 8 who already ski and hope to be on the high school ski team in the future. Cost for the racing class is \$15 and this fee includes instruction and a half-day tow ticket.

The Monday class is a beginning ski class for adults. The class begins at 7 p.m. and will be held for the next 6 Mondays. Cost of this class is \$25 which includes instruction, tow ticket, and equipment.

Registration for all three classes will be held at the first meeting of each class, however Hanson Park personnel would appreciate a call from all those who plan to take the class so that enough equipment can be reserved and instructors hired. Simply call the park at 348-9266 and ask to have your name placed on the appropriate class list.

## Plans For Miss Grayling Pageant Pick Up Speed

The deadline has passed, and all applications for the Miss Grayling Pageant are in the hands of the committee.

An orientation meeting will be held on Sunday, January 9th at the Chief Shoppemagon Hotel, at 7 p.m. each girl will be contacted individually before the meeting where publicity pictures will be taken.

A "Get Acquainted Tea" will be held soon after the orientation meeting where all the girls will get to know one another, there pageant mom's, and the pageant committee.

From now on everyone will be working hard learning new skills, practicing their talent, and getting everything ready for the big night...February 12th, at the Joseph Stripe Auditorium.

## Archery Association Schedule Set

The Straits Field Archery Association has issued its 1983 Winter Shoot Schedule, and the Grayling Archery Club serves throughout the schedule as the location for many of the shoots.

Even though other members of the Regional Association are host clubs, numerous tournaments are held at the Grayling Archery Club. Member clubs of the Straits Field Archery Association (SFAA) are Grayling, Alpena, Cadillac, Houghton Lake, Kalkaska, and Traverse City. President of the Association is Chuck Thompson of Houghton Lake. Serving as Secretary-Treasurer is his wife, Cynde.

State Delegates representing SFAA at the Michigan Archery Association (MAA) are Ralph Stevens and Dale Burpee, both of Grayling. Stevens was just recently made a life member of the MAA.

The next Straits Field shoot will be held on January 9, See Archery on Page 14

## Snowmobile Safety Class

There will be a Snowmobile Safety Class held on Saturday, January 8th and Saturday, January 15th, 1983 from 9:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. at the Grayling Fire Barn.

There is no charge for this class. Anyone 12 years of age or older is eligible to attend. For further information please call the Sheriff Department at 348-6341.

Deputy Dean L. Goss  
Crawford County Sheriff Dept.  
Snowmobile Division Administrator

## Calm New Year's Eve Reported

The Crawford County Sheriff Dept. and Grayling City Police reported a slow, safe New Year's Eve. Only one drunk driving charge was reported by sheriff deputies and no serious accidents were recorded in the city and county.

In other police news, the sheriff dept. has recovered mail boxes stolen from Grayling Twp. residents. Anyone missing a mailbox can check the sheriff dept. to see if their box was recovered.

## Range Firing Conducted

Range firing will be conducted at Camp Grayling during the period 4-8 Jan and 11 Jan 83.

Firing will be performed in the following range area: The Range 40 Complex located north of County Rd 612, east of Guthrie Lake, south of Old State Rd 618 and west of County Rd F97.

The range will be closed to the public during the period 4 Jan and 11 Jan 83 and all persons are warned to stay out of the area identified.

## Our Weather

(Courtesy of Chuck Flick)

Dec	Hi	Lo	Snow
28	49	22	
29	18	10	3.0
30	19	7	2.0
31	28	18	1.5
Jan	Hi	Lo	Snow
1	28	22	1.5
2	22	14	1.5
3	24	12	1.0



**SKATING'S FINE**—Hanson Hills Park Manager Howard Taylor reports the skating conditions at the park are equal to fine conditions enjoyed by skaters shown here at the 1981 Winter Sports Carnival. Park operators are waiting for one good snowfall to kick off the 1983 skiing season. In the meantime, they invite county residents out to the park for skating fun offering good ice and a warm lodge.

## Sports, Outdoors Made 1982 Headlines Here

by Jon Thompson

Beginning right in January of 1982 events outdoors attracted our attention.

First it was four weekend storms in a row that dumped most of the snow we received that winter in a short amount of time. Cold temperatures accompanied the snowstorms causing ice jams on the main branch and north branch of the AuSable more severe than any residents could remember.

The cold weather continued into spring throwing a damper on the trout season opener.

Things heated up in the summer especially in Lovells Township where residents got hot over DNR clearcutting policies. Besides taking action to change clearcutting policies, Lovells Township residents sided with Lake Margrethe property owners to protect K.P. Lake and Lake

Margrethe from downstate minnow seiners.

Also in the summer, the Salling Lake dam need for repairs and a subsequent drive to establish legal water levels for Salling Lake made news.

Later in fall, the deer harvest for the area appeared to drop slightly from the previous year.

At the end of the year, no snow and near 60 degree Fahrenheit temperatures made Christmas '82 one hard to forget.

On the sports scene, GHS wrestlers made '82 their year as they won district, regional, and several tournament titles while finishing third in the state for Class C.

Individually, Karyn Reynolds, a GHS skier, took second in the state slalom competition.

In July, Butch Stockton, a Grayling teacher, and Brett Stockton, only 19 years old, won the AuSable River Canoe Marathon.

## City Residents Urged to Lock Cars

Grayling City Police Chief Pete Stephan is urging Grayling City residents to lock their car doors following another series of breaking and entering into vehicles early Jan. 2.

Stephan said most of the cars broken into during early hours on Sunday, Jan. 2, had their doors unlocked. He said locked doors will deny easy access to thieves and asked anyone seeing suspicious activity in their neighborhood to call the Grayling City Police.

## Vikes To Face St. Ignace, Tough Non-League Teams

Grayling, 3-2 in the league, will have another shot at a league leader when they resume action Friday, Jan. 7.

The Vikings lost to Charlevoix, 5-0, just before the holiday break, and Friday they travel to St. Ignace, 5-0.

Grayling coach Butch Hayes feels a win would put his team in the thick of the title race with St. Ignace and Charlevoix still having to play each other twice along with both of them traveling to Grayling.

After St. Ignace, Grayling entertains Rogers City at home in league action and two rough non-conference teams pay a visit next.

Class A Alpena plays Grayling Saturday night, Jan. 15, and class C power Benzie Central visits Tuesday, Jan. 18. Hayes says he would rather play tough non-conference opponents because "it will toughen us up for league play." He thinks that is more important than scheduling weak opponents to fatten won-loss records.

Later on in the season Grayling will travel to Alpena in a return match with the class A school.

Grayling got off to an impressive 1982 start for their season coming from behind to win three games. The

Vikings' press has worked well for them in most of the games and their running offense has looked pretty good in spurts.

Ryan Morford has emerged so far as Grayling's leading scorer and the man they want to have the ball when the going gets tough. Wayne Ross has been superb defensively blocking shots and coach Hayes says Paul Hamlin and Jim Stewart are playing up to expectations rebounding well and scoring in double figures.

Point guard Mike Hickey's quickness has been paying off for Grayling in steals along with forcing other

teams into errors. Bob Keene has come off the bench to provide instant points and Dave Zigila has been adding points although called in for his defensive abilities. Senior Jim Hill has just returned from a foot injury and Hayes is looking for more from him when the season resumes. Brad Emerick, Ken Lademan, and Ron Ball have also contributed coming off the bench.

Hayes said his club this year has been one of his best conditioned teams and he feels they wear down other teams with their press and running offense.

## Blood Bank

at

## Legion Hall

## Wednesday

## Jan. 5th

## 1982 Kirtland's Warbler Count Shows Decline

The 1982 DNR count of Kirtland's Warblers—the tiny bird whose last foothold on earth is centered in Crawford and Oscoda counties—showed an 11 percent decline in 1981.

Only 207 singing male birds were counted in their northern lower Michigan breeding grounds located in Crawford, Oscoda, and parts of Ogemaw, Roscommon, Kalkaska, and Isosco counties.

The tiny birds are hard to spot—they nest in thick stands of young jack pine—but the male's song is so distinct, surveyors can count males by listening for their songs. Kirtland Warbler experts figure every singing male has a mate thus they estimated the 1982 Warbler population at 414.

The 1981 estimated population was 464. The goal of a DNR program to save the bird is 1000 birds to establish a stable breeding community.

DNR endangered species specialists hope there are more Kirtland Warblers than the count indicated. Biologists and qualified naturalists are sent to known nesting ground

ds and some other sites nearby with suitable young jackpine habitat. But a few birds could be nesting in new places. Furthermore, cold weather during peak mating time last June may have kept males from singing as loud or as often as they normally do hampering the DNR count.

The drop in the count may have been the result of poor weather in the bird's winter home in the Bahamas. The birds come to northern Michigan to breed in the jackpines from mid-May to late August.

The Kirtland's population has held steady around 400 since 1976. In 1974, the population slipped to 334.

Since 1971, the state and federal government has been trying to produce more suitable habitat for the bird which likes jackpines 12 to 18 feet high in stands of about 200 acres. Their habitat has been shrinking steadily for decades. First, modern forest fighting techniques reduced the once-common forest fires that helped re-seed jack pines. Then, pulpwood demand and developers started grabbing more forest land.

## Serious Accidents Hit County in '82

Fatal accidents and assaults filled police logbooks turning 1982 into a tragic year for Crawford County.

Two Grayling youths and a Coleman man were killed in a car accident on M-93 in October.

A young Jackson summer resident was killed and his two older brothers burned when a military bomb he carried off Camp Grayling ranges exploded in August.

In the summer, four sexual assault charges were filed against national

guardsmen within one month in the county. In the winter, police talked an armed felon down from a hill hold-out in Frederic.

A Dogawiac woman found dead in her car along I-75 south of Grayling was ruled as dying from natural causes.

In July, four county residents were arrested in connection with a drug raid that netted 10,000 tabs of LSD.

Police officers themselves had a rough time with

assaults and accidents. Two men reportedly pointed a shotgun at an officer and in December a Grayling man was charged with drunk driving after running into a police car and injuring a sheriff deputy and reserve officer.

Two national guardsmen, fleeing police after leaving a barroom fight, ran into patrol cars in a wild chase through the city that ended with police cornering the suspects in the courthouse parking lot.

## Money Topped '82 News

Money—from the \$100,000 Mike Hultgren, of Grayling, won in the lottery to the \$4.5 million planned for Camp Grayling Airport improvements—seemed to dominate the news in Crawford County during 1982.

Camp Grayling was often on the receiving end of news about money. Besides announcing plans for \$4.5 million worth of improvements at the Grayling military airport, construction began at Camp Grayling for a \$2.2 ammunition dump and a new \$920,000 armory was dedicated in May. Additionally, a record 30,000 troops came to train during the summer bringing outside money into many community businesses.

Local businesses also put large dollar figures in the news. Weyerhaeuser's new \$60 million plant shipped its first load of Structurwood® in September, A & R Forest Products opened their \$2.8 million plant in February, and the Miller Brothers drilled a \$2 million hole 11,000 feet deep in Beaver Creek Twp. looking for gas and oil.

An Ohio company started plans for a \$2.3 million nursing home for Grayling at the end of the year. Chief Shoppemagon Hotel erected a \$25,000 windmill—the first in a downtown business district in northern Michigan—and the Grayling fish hatchery project, supported by local businesses and groups, received a \$6000 private industry grant.

Government units joined in making money news as the city of Grayling, Craw-

ford County, and the Crawford AuSable School District all reduced their millages after State equalized values increased again. The city reduced their millage 1.25 mills, the school district 1.78 mills, and the county .2 mills.

The county also watched as their insurance carrier agreed to a \$165,000 out-of-court settlement in a jail suicide lawsuit.

In other government news, Beaver Creek started its own fire dept., Elmer Fenton stepped down as historical museum director, and a petition was filed and later ruled invalid concerning new airport zoning laws.

The November election put two new county commissioners, Garland "Bud" Joyce and Don Welser, and a

new county clerk, Elizabeth Wieland, into office.

In other Camp Grayling news, British troops trained here, a snow experiment was hurt by lack of snow in December, and Col. Ivan Gwilt was named to replace Col. Jack Lippert as Camp Grayling commander.

In other school news, superintendent William Diedrich moved to another superintendent position in California and was replaced by Kent Reynolds. Carl Naghtin was named to replace Reynolds as high school principal. The district lost land when a Heart Lake transfer was granted and a three-year millage renewal was passed.

## Wine and Cheese at Hanson Park Monday

Whether there is snow or not, the first big adult-night party of the year will be held Monday evening, January 10, at Hanson Park. The entire adult community is cordially invited to the park for a wine and cheese party on that evening. There is no cost or admission charge for the event which is being sponsored jointly by Hanson Park and the Grayling Mercantile.

Pending the arrival of enough of the white stuff, the ski slopes and the cross country trail will be lit at 7 p.m. for all those who desire to enjoy the out-of-doors. Inside the lodge, the wine and cheese party along with music for dancing will be getting underway at 8 p.m. For those who enjoy ice skating, the skating rink will also be lit.

The Hanson Park/Grayling Mercantile wine and cheese party is not just a party for those who downhill ski, cross-country ski, or skate. It's a party for all the adults of the community. A special invitation, however, is extended to those adults of the community who have never tried any of these winter-time sports.



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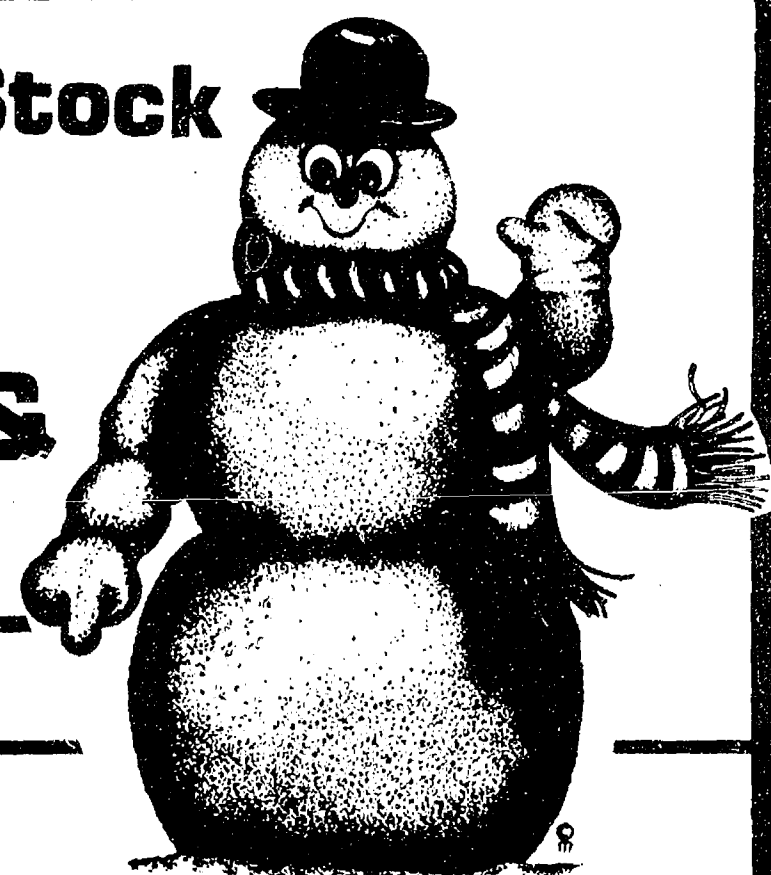
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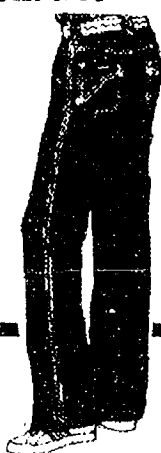
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## From Our Corner ...



What a difference a year makes...1982 started off like a roaring lion with snow and blizzard conditions...1983 was the opposite, temperature was in the high twenties to 30 with just snow squalls and Sunday, January 2nd, the sun peaked through a smidgeon of clouds...

Possibly this could be a good omen...maybe, just maybe the country and state may be on its way out of the worst recession ever...that is since the depression...

Last November, the electorate in both the state and country showed they were dissatisfied with the way things were going and voted many new faces into congress and the senate...Michigan, has a new Democratic Governor in Jim Blanchard, where also the House and Senate will have new faces as the Democrats more or less took over...

Crawford County will have two new Commissioners, Don Welser and Bud Joyce who won in a newly formed district. Elizabeth Wieland is the new County Clerk and Register of Deeds, winning the post in the general election...

Maybe the changes in the government offices will turn out economy around...there is one thing for sure, we can't see how it could get worse, unless the whole state goes on welfare...something has to be done to generate more jobs or Michigan can start whistling Dixie instead of "Say Yes to Michigan"...

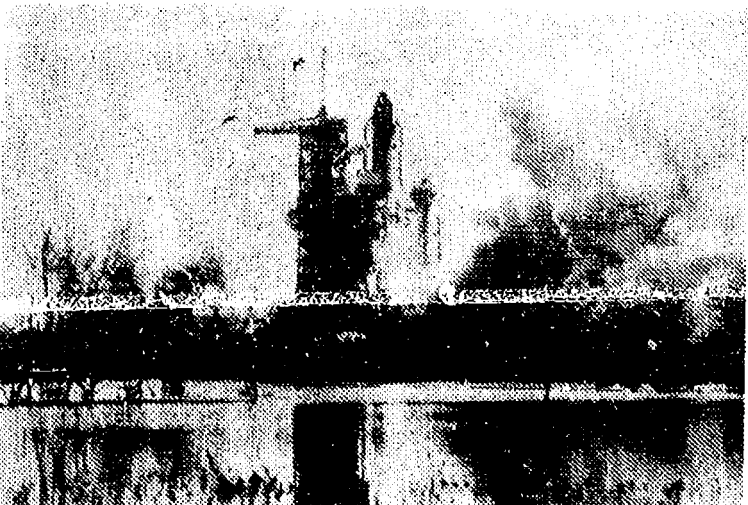
A couple more reports on our unseasonal weather around Christmas...Nadine Peterson reported seeing a rainbow while it was raining and Bernie Maurer was in the office and told us he had a dandelion in his yard the day after Christmas...

We're beginning to think that Bo and his Michigan Wolverines should just plan on playing during the regular season and forget about the bowl games...they're costing us "Go Blue" fans money every January...and just when we have to start saving for our income tax...the old saying, wait until next year is beginning to be old hat...they say you can't win them all...but, gee Bo, just a Bowl game now and then would help...

We were planning on making some New Years' resolutions but when we got to thinking about it there wasn't much the ol' fella could give up...we kicked the smoke habit some years ago...Dr. B gave us an ultimatum, so we gave up our orange pop...like-wise any sweets, we're on a diet so there are only certain things we can eat and at certain times...come to think about it, about the only thing we can do is girl watch, and with my luck they will make me stop doing that...anyway, we did spend a quiet New Year's Eve and watched a lot of football with a clear head the next day...

Irvin was just in the office, seems he was making the rounds checking on everyone to see how they fared through the New Year's weekend...he didn't have too many words of wisdom today as he usually does, must be the weather...he did say if it was a little warmer he'd go out to the links and do a little practicing...we didn't say it, but, he probably could use it...he told me the other day he didn't want these guys who go to Florida for the winter to have too much of a head start next spring...

This about takes care of this week's turkey...just can't seem to come up with anything else, so we'll say goodnight to T.J., Stefany and Amber, and to all our readers have a nice weekend...



SPACE PROFITS...Estimates indicate that as many as 200 commercial satellites may be launched to geostationary orbit in the 1980's alone, with the Shuttle providing most of these launches at Kennedy Launch Center in Florida.

## Interesting Events In Grayling 23 Years Ago

INTERESTING ITEMS OF NEWS GATHERED FROM THE FILES OF THE AVALANCHE OF 23 YEARS AGO

### 23 Years Ago January 7, 1960

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Douglas announce the arrival of Therese Eileen, a 9 lb. 2 oz. daughter born on January 1st. The William Averys of Mancelona and Mrs. Robert Neafie are her grandparents.

Members of the Dr. Arnold Roterfund family of Breckenridge spent several of the holidays at their Lake Margrethe cottage.

Mrs. Ruth Caid spent a few days of her vacation with her son Bud and family in Houghton Lake.

Christmas guests at the Vivan Campbell home were their daughter Bethlyn from N. Chili, N.Y. for several days, Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Campbell and children of Alpena, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Hartig and daughter of Frederic, Mr. and Mrs. Don Campbell and daughter of Grayling.

The Jerry McEvers family spent Christmas and the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Nickless at Gladwin, and Mr. and Mrs. Nickless returned the visit, spending Dec. 31st here.

Thomas Stencil drove his daughter Anemari to Michigan State U. at East Lansing Saturday, and his son Arnold to Willow Run airport, where Arnold flew back to Jacksonville, Fla., to resume his studies at Bolles Military Academy.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Papendick and daughter Dana of Mt. Morris spent the Christmas weekend at the Whitey Madsens and also visiting other relatives and friends.

Miss Connie Millikin of Detroit was here for Christmas and the weekend to visit her parents, the LeRoy Millikins.

The Svend Madsen family of Gaylord visited his brother, the Whitey Madsen family here Dec. 27th and Toni and Dane accompanied them home and spent a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Wells and daughter Vicki of Lansing visited their parents, Mrs. Thomas Wells and Mrs. Hurl Deckrow Christmas and the weekend. They enjoyed a tree at the Wells home Christmas Eve, and dinner with the LeRoy Mathews family in Roscommon Christmas Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Wert and family visited their parents, Mrs. Mabel Wert at Jonesville, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Adams at Mosherville, for Christmas and the weekend.

### 46 Years Ago January 7, 1937

Miss Wanda Cardinal of St. Joseph's Mercy Hospital in Pontiac spent New Years with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. James Perry.

LaVerne Barker of San Jose, Calif., has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Hjalmar Mortenson for the past ten days. Mr. and Mrs. Frank W. Barker of Flint visited at the Mortenson home over the weekend and returned home Sunday, accompanied by LaVerne, who will visit them before returning to California.

Mr. and Mrs. William Simpson of Romeo visited Mr. and Mrs. A.J. Trudeau and Mrs. Wingard accompanied them on their return and will visit her daughter, Mrs. Simpson, at Romeo, and son William Wingard at Ypsilanti,

for a time.

Mrs. John Brady, daughter Ann and son Joe, spent the last of the week in Detroit.

Mrs. Edward Mayotte and mother, Mrs. Rasmus Jorgenson, are spending the week in Detroit. Mr. Mayotte accompanied them there Saturday. On his return he was accompanied by Devere Schmidt, who had been in Detroit since Christmas.

Miss Eva Swanson spent last week in Grand Rapids. She was accompanied home by Robert Coulter and Gordon McConnell, who remained over the weekend.

Mrs. Walter Woodson, daughter Grace Matilda, and Mrs. H.A. Bauman left for Salisbury, N.C., Friday. Mrs. Woodson and daughter had spent the holidays here.

Glenn Gregg has sold his Lovells farm to Nick Loeffler, of Detroit. Mr. Loeffler has bought the farm for a summer home.

Weather - everything but the right kind. Zero temperature Tuesday night gradually rose until now it is about 40 degrees. Snow and ice are all gone and a light drizzling rain is falling today. Heavy clouds predict snow and should that happen and the temperature drop to solid freezing there is still a chance of having winter sports Sunday. That at this time seems improbable.

Mr. and Mrs. Holger R. Hanson enjoyed the holidays with relatives of the latter at Saginaw and Flint.

### 69 Years Ago January 8, 1914

Mrs. Paul Ziebell was seriously ill the forepart of the week.

R.W. Brink left Monday morning for Gaylord, where he is scaling lumber at one of Salling, Hanson Co's. camps near there.

Miss Anna Brown is the new clerk at the Model Bakery, having commenced work Monday.

Miss Mabel Brasie was absent from A. Kraus & Son's store the latter part of last week on account of illness.

Mr. and Mrs. John Cowell returned to their home in Grand Rapids on Saturday last after spending the holidays here. Mr. Cowell is a brother of Walter and Ernest Cowell and a step-son of Mrs. Mary Turner. The brothers had not seen each other for about twenty-four years.

Earl Dawson has resigned his position as delivery man at the H. Peterson grocery. George Hanson is working in his place.

A.E. Hendrickson has moved his tailor shop from the rooms over Collen's restaurant into the store recently occupied by Mrs. F.E. Gregory as a millinery shop.

Sanuel Rasmussen is home from Detroit for a visit his parents.

One of the prettiest weddings of the season was solemnized on Sunday at 4 o'clock at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Fischer, Sr., when their daughter Miss Martha Camilla was united in holy matrimony to Carl Sorenson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Sorenson, Rev. Kjolhede of the Danish-Lutheran Church, officiating. Miss Lillian, a sister of the bride, acted as bridesmaid, and Mr. Thorwald Peterson, a cousin of the groom, was best man.

## The Bible Speaks

From Calvary Baptist Church

### Praise God For His Salvation!!

Romans 11:33-36

The first 11 chapters of Romans are the most detailed and richest presentation of the Bible doctrine of God's salvation known to man. It is most fitting that this section end with a great doxology of worship and adoration to the sovereign God who revealed it.

1. The depth of God's wisdom and knowledge in salvation. "O the depth of the riches both of the wisdom and knowledge of God! how unsearchable are his judgments, and his ways past finding out!" Romans 11:33. The wisdom and knowledge of God is over man's head as high as the Heaven is above the earth. O the foolishness of men who try to explain away God's sovereign plan of salvation because it cannot fit into the logic of their finite minds.

2. The source of God's wisdom and knowledge in salvation. "For who hath known the mind of the Lord? or who hath been his counsellor?"

Most of the ministers of today by the thousands do not believe God is sovereign in salvation. They reject the election of the saints by God the Father. They reject the particular redemption of those saints by God the Son. They also reject the irresistible work of the Holy Spirit applying this work to the hearts of the saints resulting

in eternal security.

"Or who hath first given to him, and it shall be recompensed unto him again?" Romans 11:35. Salvation is all of God! Man has not understood it. Man has not given God counsel. Man has not contributed a single thing to either get or maintain eternal salvation. God will share the glory of salvation with no man! Man who claims one effort in his salvation is sinning by taking away from the work of the cross, the resurrection of Christ, and the glory of God.

3. The purpose of God's wisdom and knowledge in salvation. "For of him, and through him, and to him, are all things: to whom be glory for ever. Amen." Romans 11:36. God is the source, support and end of all things! Everything owes a sovereign God for it's beginning, existence and end. The supreme goal of everything in the universe is to bring glory to God forever!! The chief end of man is to glorify God and enjoy Him forever. (adv.)

Pastor Barnett

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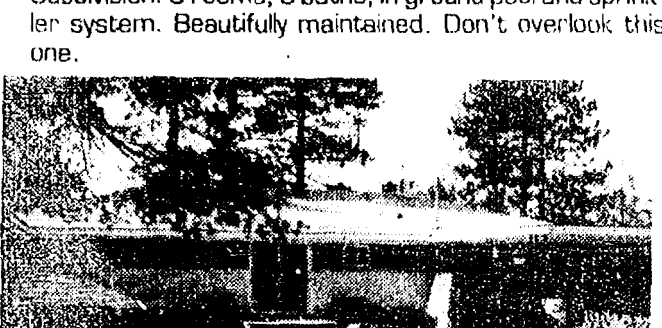




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The following were among those admitted to Mercy Hospital during the past week: Patricia Stein, Vera Wyile, Rebecca McEvers, and Claude Halstead all of Grayling; George Walker, Elsie Myer, Merle Dawson, and Rachell Conner all of Roscommon; and Clara Vargo of Frederic.

Those discharged: Patricia Stein and Rebecca McEvers and baby all of Grayling; Leona Griffin and George Walker both of Roscommon.

Donald and Cindy Foley of Lewiston are the proud parents of a baby girl, born December 26, 1982, weighing 7 lbs. 12 ozs.

## Frederic News

by Eva Hulbert

1983 is here, hopefully it will be a good year for everyone. The Senior Citizen Center is back in the swing. Connie is there to help with your Property Tax Rebate and Income Taxes, call 348-9314 and Fuel Assistance Program every Wednesday 8 a.m. til 4 p.m. Call 348-8426 for information to see what you may need to bring.

Every Thursday at 12:30 Blood Pressure.

Jan. 7th, Friday, Senior Citizen Satellite Dinner for Frederic and Maple Forest, at the Sportsman Club. 12:00 Blood Pressure and eat at 1 p.m. On the menu is Pork Chops. Paul Smith from the Sheriff's Dept. will be guest speaker on "Crime in the Home". Also a game will be played after the program. Sure hope to see you there, I know there has been a lot of sickness, but sure hope everyone is on the mend. Vi Middleton will be calling you or you can call if you're planning on coming 348-8364.

Happy Birthday to Eva Rolfe Jan. 11th and Violet LaFontaine, Jan. 12th. Thoughts and prayers to Aunt Minnie Cameron who used to live here, aunt to Lila Smith of Maple Forest. Elnora Lodge.

The community wishes to extend their sympathy to the family of Clayton Caverly. Home for the Christmas holiday to his mother, Vi Middleton and two sons and enjoyed Christmas dinner at his sisters, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Collens and family, sister Barb and brother Louie.

Jim and Brenda Hulbert and two girls were to his mother, Eva Hulbert for the holiday, and to her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Alma. Christmas dinner at sister Pat Sloan, Dennis and two children, Tom and Ann Denno and six children, Sheila and son Shane and Jim Hanson, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Desnoyers and mother.

Christmas party for the boys and girls by the Sportsman Club was well attended with 100. Santa was there to give out gifts, assisted by Angela and Barbie Howe. Refreshment of cookies, chips, hot chocolate, and homemade waffles with ice cream made by the Strachen family. In appreciation to the following of money donations: Ruth and Earl Winger of Maple Forest, Al Leng's Garage, Cooper's Country Store, candy canes and hard candy from Newberry's General Store, Little Ben's, John Kraus and Big Ben's, Emil Kraus, gifts, Donna and Ursle Cox, Bonnie and Glenn Love, Mr. and Mrs. Max Crosby. And to Santa for his time he was real busy and the kids all had a good time. We the members enjoy ourselves, too!

Larry Baynham and son Ted of Maple Forest stayed with friends in Pontiac and Sunday attended the Green Bay Packers and Detroit Lions game.

Timberview Village and Manor enjoyed the 25 carolers from Calvary Baptist Church, of Grayling. Thoughtfulness from the Hobby Club and Frederic Fire Dept. Also the lovely Christmas cards the 6th grade made and the large picture of the Frederic School the boys and girls made with the children looking out of the windows. Very nice boys and girls. Teacher Mary Smock.



**CHRISTMAS STOCKING WINNER**—Eric Thompson, shown with his mother Ellen Thompson, won a seven-foot stocking filled with toys and games given away by McLeans ProMart. Eric, the son of Jon and Ellen Thompson, won the stocking on Christmas Eve.

## Bits O'Talk

by Fay Bovee

Guests of Helen Harwood for a week over Christmas were her daughter, Judy Campbell, and four children, Jamie, Joanne, John, and Rickie, of Orange Park, Florida. Her husband, Richard Campbell, is aboard the Nimitz in Lebanon.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Goodhue for the Christmas holiday were their family, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Herdrich, Craig and Dwight, of Grand Blanc. Dwight is a sophomore at the University of Michigan and is a member of the Marching Band. After leaving Grayling the family were enroute to the Rose Bowl where Dwight marched with the band.

P.J. and JoAnne Lodge and family of Amherst, Ohio, spent the week following Christmas with her sister and husband, Dean and Mary Goss. On Christmas Eve, Les Goss hosted the Goss family Christmas at his home.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Goss and family of Bessemer were guests of his mother, Mrs. Claribel Goss, for several days.

Guests of Mike and Sandy Fleming on the Sunday following Christmas for their holiday celebration were his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Fleming of Traverse City, and his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hroch of Chicago.

Visiting at the home of Mrs. Jean Gothro were her family, Ted and Karen Carlson, Heather and Jason, of Canton, Ohio, and Bob and Mary Ann Clayton, Joshua and Lara of Northville. Christmas Day guests were the Ken Gothros, Amy Gothro, the Harvey Rowlands and the Aubrey Welshes.

Mr. and Mrs. David Englund, Scott, Jeffery & Heidi spent the Christmas holidays with her parents, the Carl Bartells in Lake Panasoffkee, Florida. They also visited the Carl Englund & Claire Olins in Zephyrhills. Mr. and Mrs. John Wilson, Jodi & Jim also were holiday guests of the Bartells.

Jason Rasmussen arrived at Tri-City Airport on December 23rd and was met by his brothers, John and Joel and friend, Pat Ross. He spent the holidays at his parents, Jack and Joan Rasmussen and visited other members of his family and friends. On January 3rd, Joel and Guy Bourrie took Jason back to Tri-City. Jason is working for cable television in Jacksonville, Florida and making his home with his aunt and uncle, Richard and Judy Campbell in Orange Park, Florida. His address is: Jason Rasmussen, 330 Arora Blvd., Orange Park, FL 32073.

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## Social Hour

St. Mary's Altar Society will meet next Tuesday, January 11th for their regular meeting. There will be a social hour beginning at 8:00 p.m. for the ladies from the other churches. All ladies are welcome to attend.

## Lovells News

by Ruth Caldwell

Mr. and Mrs. George Wingeier entertained a number of friends at their home on Wednesday evening.

The Cheerful Givers Club will meet at the club room on Thursday evening at 7:30.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Cadeau are the proud parents of a daughter born on Friday, December 31, 1982 at Otsego Memorial Hospital. Her name is Carrie Ann.

The first card party of the winter will be on Saturday, January 8th. Starting with a potluck supper at 6:30 at the ladies club room. Everyone is welcome to come and enjoy the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Behlke & family returned home Saturday after enjoying a vacation in Florida.

Harvey Gauthier, Sr. is a patient at Mercy Hospital. His many friends wish him a speedy recovery.

## Middle School Athletic News

by Steve Ross  
7th grade student

On Monday, December 20th, the Grayling 7th and 8th grade teams traveled to Kalkaska. They came back with a sweep, the 7th grade winning 34-8 and the 8th grade with a come from behind win - winning 44-38.

Scoring for the 7th grade were John Cross-8, Jeff Palmer, Scott Rochette with 6, Todd Hull, John Kinnee with 4, Jeff Renaud, Robert Johnson and Jeff Wolcott with 2 points. They played a man to man defense the whole game.

Pumping in the points for the 8th grade were Eddie Young-11, Dave Nielson-10, Darrin Alimenti-7, Keith Whaley-6, John Meagher-4, Todd Klinger, Jim Knight, and Todd Wakeley all had 2 points.

They played a zone and man to man defense.

Their next game will be against Gaylord St. Mary's at Gaylord on Thursday, Jan. 6th.

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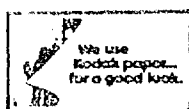
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## Bits O'Talk

by Fay Bovee

Mr. and Mrs. Bill O'Mara, Dennis and John of Montrose were here and joined their daughters and families, Jon and Ellen Thompson and Herb and Cindy Olson at the Thompsons on Christmas Day.

The Olson family had their Christmas at the home of Nels and Jan Olson in Beaver Creek. With the family were Mike and Lou Fallon and girls, Marcie and Dresden, of Rudyard, Ken and Marjie Brown of Ann Arbor, and the Herb Olsons.

Frank and Joanne Doty, Jennifer and Blair, of

Traverse City were here for Christmas as were the Tom Welshes of Bridgeport, staying with Tom and Marian Welsh.

Guests of the George Kents for the holidays were their daughter and family, Greg and Marla Chandler and new grandson, Andrew Kent Chandler of Livonia who arrived October 5, 1982, and weighed 10 lbs. 4 ozs. The Kents are enjoying their new grandson. Other holiday guests were Evelyn's sister, Peggy Gregg of Grand Rapids and Ralph and Kay Duval of Ypsilanti.

Guests at the Stewart Rose home on M-72 East were son, William and Pershinala LaMotte and daughter, Dana of Burton. He also visited his brother and family, Ed LaMotte, and exchanged gifts. On New Year's the Rose family hosted the family dinner with Nelson Vollmer and family of Dearborn joining them. Mrs. Evelyn Nugent has returned to Grayling after spending Christmas in Saginaw and Bay City visiting her brothers and sisters.

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**BIG STOCKING WINNER**—Dean Molnar Jr., pictured with his younger brother Joe, parents Dean and Donna Molnar, and NNB President Bonnie Yates, won a giant stocking given away by Northern National Bank. Dean won the stocking on Dec. 23.

## Changes In The Motor Vehicle Permit Act-1983

The State Park Motor Vehicle Permit Act (Act 149, P.A. of 1960, as amended) provides the Natural Resources Commission with the authority to designate, by resolution, those State Parks, or portions thereof, where a State Park Permit shall be required for lawful entry. Portions of Parks or areas that did not previously require a permit are now added to the Motor Vehicle Permit requirements.

Therefore, effective January 1, 1983, a Motor Vehicle Permit will be required for all motor vehicles entering all portions of Hartwick Pines State Park. This includes Bright and Glory Lakes, the outpost, campground, and the Valley Road Scenic Drive. Motor Vehicle Permits will now be required for all snowmobiles when traveling on Park lands or trails. The cost of the Motor Vehicle Permits has remained the same as last year: \$10 for the Annual Permit, \$2 for the Daily Permit, and \$1 for the Senior Citizen Permit. These Motor Vehicle Permits can now be purchased at the Park office.

During the past year, several new facilities were completed here at the Pines

which added much to the enjoyment of the visitors. The entire 6,200 feet of the VirginPines Trail through the "big pines" were paved with a six-foot wide bituminous coating. Handicapped persons with wheelchairs and senior citizens have already expressed their approval of this improvement. Also completed was the new picnic area toilet/shelter building. The shelter building will be available on a reservation basis this year for reunions and large picnics. For reservations, contact the Park office.

The old log picnic area toilet building, which had been constructed in 1931 and now had become obsolete and difficult to maintain, has been removed.

The first "Old-time Days" festival was held in 1982 and was a huge success. In 1983 this festival will be held June 18 and 19 with bigger and better activities, and we plan to have this festival as an annual event.

The entire water system of the Park, which had become antiquated and required constant repairing, has been replaced with new plastic pipe and a new pumping system.

## Bits O'Talk

by Fay Bovee

Jim and Janet Bentley, Michael and Mandy of Goderich, Ontario, spent the week between Christmas and New Year's with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Rowland.

Bob and Marilyn Brady and Kevin of Redford, Leo and Helen Witham of Redford, and Francis and Louis Brady of Ionia were visitors at the Sadie Brady home during the holidays.

Guests of Art and Monica Weideman for Christmas were Bill and Molly Weideman and children of Midland and Arthur and Cindy Wakeley and family of Westland. The Arthur Wakeleys also spent time visiting his father, Junior Wakeley.

Chris Sojka of Midland, friend, Bonnie Vaughn of Grand Rapids, and Tanya Sojka of Detroit spent Christmas with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Sojka on the AuSable. Paul Sojka spent the holidays in Minnesota and the first of January will begin teaching and research at Purdue University in Lafayette, Indiana.

Guests of the Jack Trudgeons for Christmas were all of their family, Kevin from Lansing, Toni from CMU, Tom and Janice Clark and Paul of Lansing, Mike and Leesa Hodge of Detroit, David from Gogebic, Tom and family of Lake Superior State, Phillip and family, Rene, and Carrie, at home as well as the two grandmothers, Mrs. Betty Trudgeon and Mrs. Rene Savoie of the Soo. The Tom Trudgeons are remaining with her family, the John Keirs, until January 8. On Sunday, December 26, the Trudgeon family were in Highland Park where they attended the funeral of Jack's aunt, Sophie Carter, who was killed in an auto accident on December 21.

## Crawford AuSable School District

### January Monthly Calendar

- 1/3/83 — School resumes from Christmas vacation; Elementary and Middle School after school program application forms will be sent home.
- 1/6/ — Wrestling at St. Ignace, 6:30; Stamp Day at Grayling Elementary School.
- 1/7 — Basketball at St. Ignace, 6:30.
- 1/8 — Wrestling Team at Freeland Invitational.
- 1/10 — Board of Education meeting, 7:30, High School Library; Kirtland Community College off campus registration at Grayling High School.
- 1/11 — Released time for high school students at St. Mary's 9:00 to 11:00.
- 1/13 — Wrestling vs. Rogers City home, 6:30.
- 1/14 — Basketball vs. Rogers City at the middle school gym, 6:30.
- 1/15 — Wrestling Team at Clare Invitational; Basketball vs. Benzie Central at the middle school gym, 6:00.

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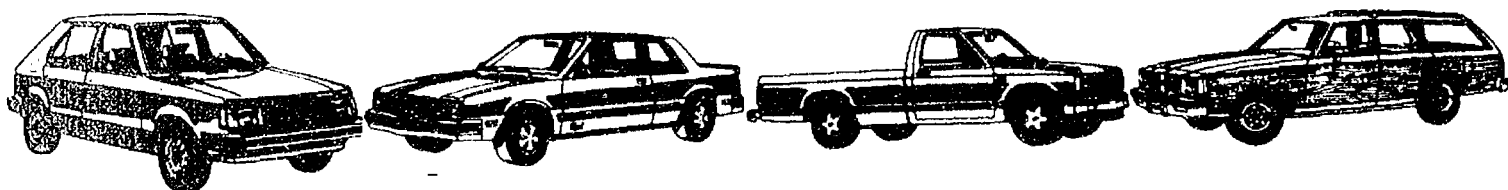
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## Michigan Mirror

### \$575 Million Transportation Package Completed

Warren M. Hoyt, Executive Director, MPA

Just as some people said it would be impossible in a lame-duck legislative session, the finishing touches were put on a transportation package that will raise \$575 million over the next three years.

The action was taken during the waning hours of the final days of the 81st Legislature.

The additional revenue would be raised through an increase in the gasoline tax and a value registration fee for new car purchases coupled with an increase in the current weight tax on presently registered vehicles.

The gasoline tax provides for two years of gas tax hikes tied to the rise in the federal highway maintenance index.

Increases would be capped at 2 cents per gallon per year, meaning a maximum gas tax of 15 cents a gallon by 1984 compared to the current state excise tax of 11 cents per gallon.

The gas tax, effective January 1, will itself raise an estimated \$373 million over three years.

Passenger vehicle registrations will increase 15 percent on February 1 while commercial vehicles will see an immediate increase of 30 percent as of January 1.

For new vehicles, purchased on or after October 1, 1983, registration would be computed on a value formula.

The tax would be .4 percent on the purchase price of the vehicle with the registration fee being reduced by 10 percent each year for three years.

After the third year, the fee would be frozen at that amount.

As older vehicles are taken out of service, the weight tax would ultimately be phased out, but until then, the weight tax will be indexed to increase in the state personal in-

come until 1985.

The registration adjustment is expected to raise some \$193.4 million over the three year period.

To aid public transportation systems, changes were made in the allocation of the auto-related sales tax revenues and the amount going from the highway fund to comprehensive transportation.

Increases of the current 8.3 percent allocation of highway fund money to comprehensive transportation is 10 percent. The increased allocation would raise \$232.2 million for comprehensive transportation over three years.

The comprehensive transportation fund would also receive an increased allocation from the auto-related sales tax that goes to the general fund.

Currently, the fund received 27.9 percent of the tax revenue. This would be increased to 53 percent in 1983, 46 percent in 1984 and 57 percent in 1985.

Any loss to the state's general fund as a result of the shift is expected to be replaced by federal funds under a congressional rewrite of the federal gasoline tax package.

The package was drastically reduced from the original recommendation of Governor William G. Milliken who originally proposed a program that would have raised approximately \$2 billion over the same three-year period.

That plan was compromised when it became impossible to gain legislative approval for new taxes on some services and amusements.

The \$575 million package will provide immediate money for the state to make necessary road and bridge repair and provide state matching money for federal funds for smaller uses and public transportation systems around the state.



**SANTA VISITS THE MOOSE**—Santa Claus made an appearance at the Moose Lodge before Christmas much to the delight of youngsters there.

### Local Youths Can Join Statewide Arts Troupe

by Ann Stephenson

Crawford County young people longing for a chance to be in the spotlight and show off their dance, drama, vocal or musical skills are eligible to become members of the Michigan 4-H Performing Arts Troupe, says Ann Stephenson, Crawford County 4-H Program Assistant.

The troupe is recruiting members for its 1983 season. Musicians are especially needed. Young people interested in applying don't have to be current 4-H members but must agree to enroll in a 4-H arts project in their county upon acceptance.

"The arts troupe is a great opportunity for young people to showcase their artistic skills, get experience in the performing arts and to travel and meet new people across the state," says Stephenson. "Today's 4-H program is more than 'cows and cooking,' and the performing arts troupe is an excellent example of the kinds of exciting and different experiences that are available through 4-H."

Last year the troupe traveled close to 9,000 miles throughout the Midwest and entertained nearly 60,000 people at more than 50 community events, fairs, festivals and celebrations, including performances in the Upper Peninsula, at the Michigan Capitol and the Michigan State Fair, and on Labor Day telethon. The troupe was also the subject of a PM Magazine segment and were featured performers at National 4-H Congress and at Daley Civic Center in Chicago.

The group has also performed with a variety of professional acts, including the New Christy Minstrels, the Sunshine Express and the internationally acclaimed 'Areté' Mime Troupe.

Stephenson points out that troupe members aren't required to have an extensive background in the performing arts to participate. A series of in-depth workshops and rehearsals are held on Saturdays from January through March to prepare troupe members for their rigorous performance schedule. Two weekend camps are also required, as well as a residency program at Michigan State University in June.

Interested young people must be between 14 and 18 years of age or enrolled in their senior year of high school. There are no membership or application fees. However, members are responsible for their own transportation to and from workshops, rehearsals, camps and residency programs. They are also

responsible for meals and lodging, which will cost approximately \$75.

Girls are required to purchase a troupe leotard and slippers; boys need to purchase jazz dance shoes. The rest of the troupe members' costumes are supplied.

For membership applications and additional information about the troupe, contact Ann Stephenson at the Crawford County Cooperative Extension Service 4-H Youth Office, or call 348-2841 ext. 284.

### Masons to Meet

Masons to meet Jan. 6th, Grayling Lodge 356 F&AM, Regular Communication, Hobo Dinner. Open to the public at 5:30 p.m. \$3 Donation, \$1.50 under 12 yrs.

### Levin's Aide Here Jan. 17

Christine Jewell, an aide for U.S. Senator Carl Levin, will be holding constituent service hours from 3:15 to 4:15 p.m. at the Crawford County Courthouse Monday, Jan. 17. Area residents unable to meet Jewell during this time can call Levin's Alpena office, 517/356-6122.

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It is so great to be alive! So wonderful to feel good! My husband and I both feel we have been reborn!

The countless cards, letters and telephone messages from Grayling, California, Florida, Perrysburg, Ohio; Detroit, New Jersey and I don't remember where else, were of unbelievable encouragement and support.

I want to thank each of you for your prayers and messages, individually, but it would take too long, and I want to thank you now; not months from now.

So, please, will you dear people accept these words as my deep appreciation and gratitude for all your wonderful support?

I also want to thank the seventeen wonderful Blood Donors who gave a pint of their blood to help save someone's life — for the life they saved was mine! It took seventeen pints of blood and blood products to see me through the surgery and post surgery care! Believe me, I am truly grateful!

I know I don't really deserve that wonderful support, but I will be eternally grateful that you believe I do.

Sincerely,

*Harriet Goodhue*



**BELIEVE IT OR NOT**—The photo above was taken in front of the Grayling Country Club on December 28th, 1982, shows, from left, Bob Hickey, Dave Ross, Sr., and Irv McIsaac. The trio had just finished a round of golf, and from what we have heard the way they play in the summer time they need this practice in the middle of the winter. Other die-hards using the links around Christmas were, Dr. Paul Junttila, Carl Hector Nielson, Tom St. Germain, and Bill Worden, they're claiming they are now ready for the golf season to start.

## Doodles From The Tall Timber

Wendell L. Hoover  
Park Interpreter

During this period of little snow, my thoughts turn back to the winter of 1876-77 which in logging history was noted for the worst sledding conditions in a decade. Loggers in the mid portion of the Lower Peninsula, specifically Clare County, were struggling with a lack of snow upon which to move logs. Perhaps only one man could visualize the revolution he was introducing into the number one industry of the State. Winfield Scott Gerrish, together with six stockholders, built the Lake George and Muskegon River Railroad at a cost of \$38,390. With two H.K. Porter Com-

pany locomotives and fifty logging cars, they were putting a half million board feet of logs a day onto the Muskegon River railroads that winter. The Lake George Railroad was a whistle-tooting success. By 1889, there were eighty-nine such railroads in the State.

The remains of those ram-bunctious days are still in evidence. All one has to do is walk cross country to discover the nearly numberless railroad grades which once allowed the iron horse to poke its way into the stands of virgin pines. With the railroad, the large logging operators increased their annual log output by ten times their former rate. Firms cutting three to five million feet a season were now cutting thirty to fifty million during a full season. It is little wonder that we cut big pine in this State for less than fifty years.

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The Natural Resources Commission, at its meeting on July 14, 1978, under authority of Act 230, P.A. 1925, as amended, renewed the order of August 10, 1973, that no sturgeon may be taken or possessed from the waters of this state of a length less than 50 inches for a period of five years beginning January 1, 1979.

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## Local Man's Mother Dies

Phyllis L. Shearer, 63, mother of local resident Michael Shearer, passed away December 16, 1982 in Three Rivers, Michigan. Funeral services were held Saturday, December 18, 1982 with burial in St. Joseph Valley Memorial Cemetery in South Bend, Indiana. Mrs. Shearer was born November 26, 1919 in Morocco, Indiana.

Surviving besides her son, Mike, are her husband, Frank of Three Rivers; son, Dennis of Three Rivers; mother, Luella Sowers of Indiana; father, John Sowers also of Indiana; two sisters and one brother.

The family suggests memorial contributions be directed to the American Legion Scholarship Fund in Three Rivers, Michigan.



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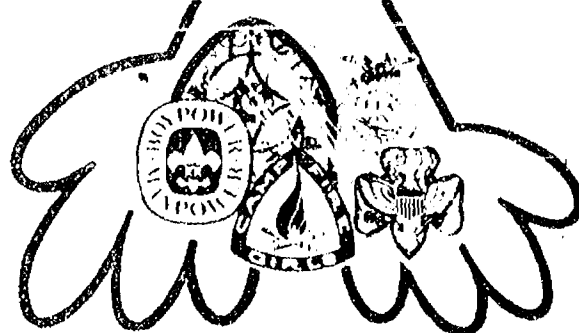
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## Dollhouse Drawing Raises \$600



Shirley Reynolds, of Grayling, won a dollhouse in a Crawford County Commission on Aging drawing that raised \$600.

The dollhouse was built and designed by Leo Cavanaugh with assistance by men and women in the senior citizen's woodworking and craft depts. The winning ticket for the dollhouse was drawn Wednesday, Dec. 22, by Jack Alef, President of the Grayling State Bank and President of the Crawford Co. Commission on Aging. Lora Gould, director of the Commission, and Elsie Reives, who sold the most tickets for the drawing, were also present for the drawing.

The dollhouse was displayed at the Grayling State Bank and volunteer seniors sold tickets at the bank and other places to raise \$600 for the Commission. (Photo by Jim Adams)

### Bits O'Talk

by Fay Bovee

Pallbearers for the Ralph R. Haynes Funeral on Thursday, December 30, were Leo Gunton, Lyle Billsby, Hubert Ingram, Truman Mariatt, and Tom Milner, all members of American Legion Post #106, Grayling.

Mr. and Mrs. Morden Post and their daughter, Debbie McGuire (nee Post) of Punta Gorda and Sarasota, Florida, and Mr. and Mrs. Rick Post and son, Jason, of Mecosta, spent the holidays in Grayling visiting the family of Dave and Gayle McClain and daughter, Brandi. Also spending Christmas Day was Mr. and Mrs. Jerry McClain, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Post, and Mr. and Mrs. Gary Pippo and family of Illinois. Mr. and Mrs. Morden Post and Debbie returned to Florida on January 3. This is the first Christmas in 12 years that the entire Post family were able to spend together.

Mr. and Mrs. Geoffrey Gothro and family of Minneapolis and Mr. and Mrs. Gerry Gothro and family of Lansing were here for Christmas with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ken Gothro.

Mrs. Arnold Tucker was in Lansing for the holidays where she joined all of her family.

Dr. Linda Knibbs of Champaign, Illinois, Holly Knibbs of Washington, D.C., Mr. and Mrs. Michael Elliott and Michael of Ann Arbor, and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Knibbs and Natalie of Petoskey, were guests of their mother, Mary Jane Knibbs, over the holidays. The Jim Knibbs also spent time visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Chappell.

Natalie Jean Knibbs, 7-month-old daughter of Jim and Cindy Knibbs was baptized on Sunday, Dec. 26, 1982, at the 11 o'clock service at the Cross of Christ Lutheran Church in Petoskey. Rev. Nelson was the officiating minister and Michael and Nancy Elliott were the godparents. The Knibbs family and Chappell families were in attendance and all gathered at the Jim Knibbs home following the baptism for refreshments.

Mrs. Jeanne Baehrend of Chicago spent Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ken Wyman.

The LaMotte family all gathered at the home of Larry Lee in the old family home on State Street for their Christmas Eve and Day. In attendance were LeRoy and Marie Akers, Boots and Ernie Balch, John and Blanche LaMotte, Kermit LaMotte, Bruce and Helen Nielson and three children, all of Grayling, Lauri and Michael Balch of Marquette, Scott and Mari-beth Malone of Flint, Tom and Lynn Welsh and Erin of Bridgeport.

This is not "Par for the Course" but if the weather had continued as mildly, I could continue that column. The golf course must have been crowded on Christmas Day as another threesome of Mary Jane Knibbs, Holly Knibbs, and Michael Elliott also got in some golf.

Since cross-country skiing was out, Joe and Faith Stripe took their bikes for a ride on Christmas Day.

### Senior Citizens Activities

Fuel Assistance Program - Every Wednesday from 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. come to the Center - bring proof of income and fuel bills. You can call 348-8426 on Wednesdays and talk to the intake worker and she will tell you what you need. This is funds allocated by the government to help low income people pay their high fuel bills, so if you qualify, come and apply.

Dance and Good Time - The Harrison Senior Citizen Dance Band will be here at 10:00 a.m. We can dance until 11:45 a.m., break for dinner and then dance again until 2:00 p.m., Jan. 13th. You buy your dinner \$1.35 suggested donation, and in addition everyone will be asked to contribute to gas mileage for the band to get here. The Harrison group have a great time, come and join in. Chuck Kirk wants to start a band here for us if he can just find the players. There must be some piano, players, fiddlers, and drummers out there. See Chuck Kirk, he will welcome you and I guarantee you that we'll have a good time too.

Come in and take part in any and all programs. You are welcome.

For more information, please call 348-9314, or stop by the Center at 308 Lawndale in Grayling.

### Lovells Home Extension

The Lovells Home Extension met at the home of Margie Harwood on Thurs., Dec. 2nd with Ruth Caid as hostess. Seventeen members and one guest, Mrs. Elsie Butters were present.

The hostess, assisted by Margie served a lovely luncheon.

Chairman, Velda Marshall called the meeting to order. Secretary-Treasurer, Irene Honey gave her report. The chairman announced that the District meeting will be held in the Spring instead of the Fall. The one for our area will be held at Gaylord on April 21st, 1983.

On new business, it was decided that the club would purchase one engraving tool for marking furniture and other household items as a safe-guard and for identification in recovering stolen items. Once all items are marked, a sticker can be obtained and placed on a door or window thus notifying the crook, should he come to your home, that he'd better beware.

Helpers at Timberview Village this month: Mildred Johnson, Kathryn Jones, Betty Lake, Margaret Miller.

Irene Honey won the Mystery Package, Again, lucky gal.

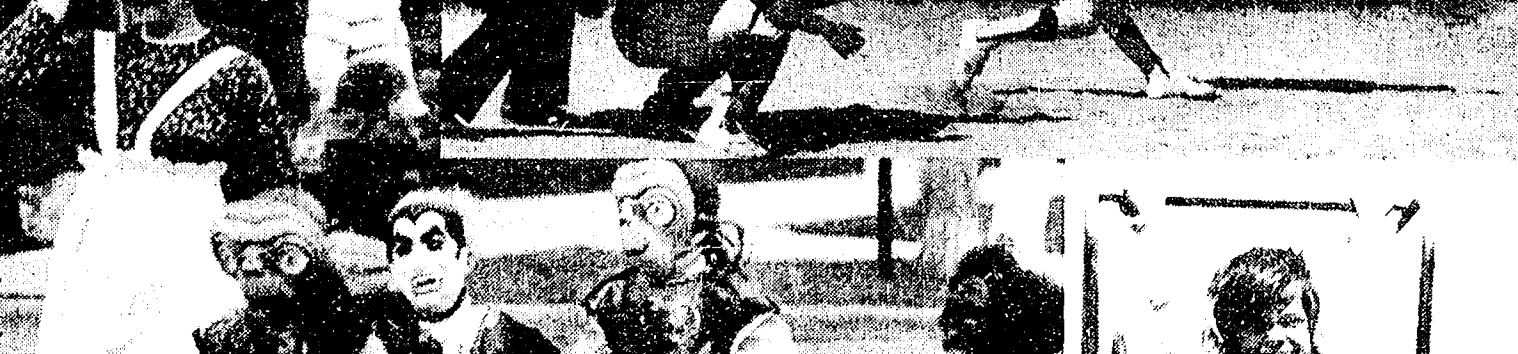
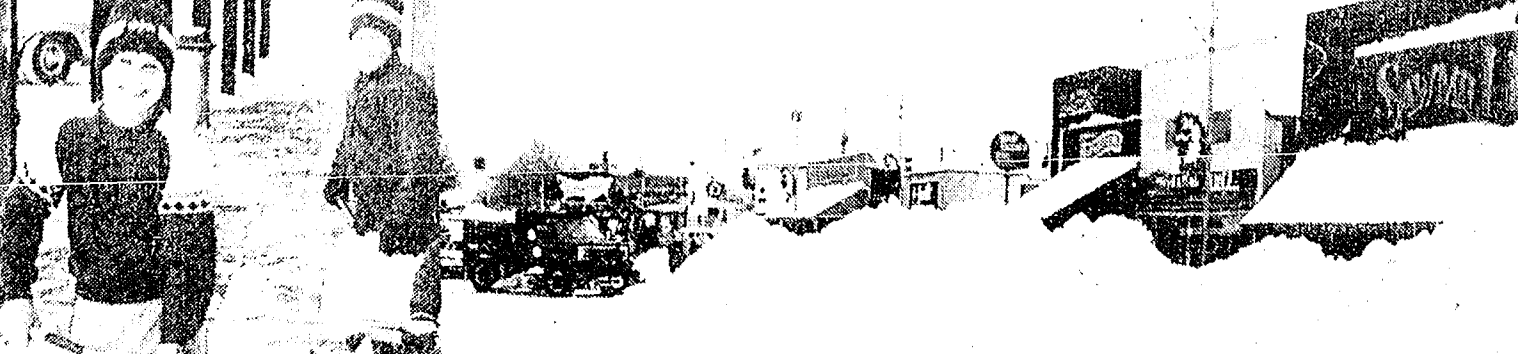
At the close of the business meeting, a gift exchange was held, and Bingo was played.

The next meeting will be on Wed., Jan. 12th at the home of Vi Wingeier. Roll call will be: "My nicest Christmas Gift or My Best Surprise." PLEASE notify your hostess if you are not going to be present. Have a good winter, all of you and I'll see you in the Spring.

Hazel Koernke,  
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# A Look at 1982

by Jon Thompson





# Babson's 1983 Forecast

(CONTINUED FROM LAST WEEK)

The Babson staff anticipates that the changes in business inventories will be more constructive in 1983. The transition from deep cuts to normalizing inventories will contribute to better GNP readings during the year ahead, although the impact is not expected to be powerful overall. Ample-to-adequate supplies of raw materials and finished goods in an atmosphere of moderate sales gains and well-contained price inflation will not offer much incentive for aggressive forward buying and inventory accumulation beyond normal requirements.

## BUSINESS CAPITAL EXPENDITURES

Deterioration of business confidence and the decline in usage of industrial productive capacity overshadowed the appeal of tax incentives when it came to decisions on business capital spending in 1982. Babson's forecasts that there will be some overall increase in this sector during 1983 - on the order of 2% to 3%. However, much of the gain will occur in the year's second half. Look for capital investments to stress improved productivity and cost savings rather than major projects to add significantly to productive capacity.

## BUILDING AND CONSTRUCTION

One of the bright spots in the economic outlook for 1983 is the residential building sector. The Babson forecast of new housing starts is 1.5 million units. This compares with an estimated average annual rate of a little over 1 million units for 1982. The record rate of 2 million units established in 1978 will not be approached in the year ahead. The cost and availability of mortgage money have improved in recent months, and further betterment will occur during the early months of 1983. Thus, the background is favorable for a pickup in new housing starts, and for sales of existing homes also. Nonetheless, mortgage rates will still be too high for many aspirants to first-time home ownership to warrant a stronger improvement in the housing market than is now envisioned.

In heavy construction, prospects for 1983 are nondescript. A glut in commercial and industrial facilities exists. This surplus must be absorbed before the construction business shows much zip.

## EMPLOYMENT - PERSONAL INCOME

The deeper and longer-than-expected recession saw an extension of the downturn in industrial production into late 1982. This resulted in a protracted span of deteriorating employment conditions. Although the seasonally adjusted monthly rate of employment was mostly in a sideways trend (but below the average of the year before), the number of workers on part time for economic reasons averaged substantially higher than the 4% million rate for 1981, manufacturing employment declined noticeably, the average length of work weeks in manufacturing was clearly below the preceding year; and the jobless rate in the waning portion of the year was clearly past the 10% mark with no sign of any immediate downturn. Looking to 1983, Babson's foresees better employment conditions for the year as a whole. Early on, work forces will expand slowly while factory work weeks lengthen. Then, when business strengthens and public confidence improves, employment will rise more noticeably. However, unemployment is expected to shade higher until around the winter-into-spring juncture, with the rate peaking near 11% (probably avoiding any marked penetration of that level). Nevertheless, with the labor force still growing, the tepid economic recovery anticipated means that subsequent lowering of the jobless rate will be tough and only minor - averaging a shade below 10% at best for 1983 as a whole.

Look for personal income to trend upward in 1983 and probably average 4%-5% higher than 1982. With traditional industrial lines not expected to show a vigorous rebound, the seemingly ambitious anticipated increase in personal income will probably stem from the better-paying employment lines such as high technology, defense activities, and services. Wage rates will trend upward due to both existing multi-year labor pacts and new contracts scheduled for negotiations in 1983. But how much of gross income will translate into takehome pay depends upon whether the Administration can fend off the efforts to reduce, delay, or eliminate the 10% income tax cut slated for July 1st. Our guess is that such attempts will be beaten back by the White House, though not without difficulty. One must also keep in mind definite and contemplated new and higher tax imposts of one form or another.

## CONSUMER AND GOVERNMENT SPENDING

Reluctant consumer spending attitudes during 1982 were a factor in the economy's inability to rouse itself into a recovery move. However, some of the postponed spending will help to lift 1983 business. Odds now favor an increase in consumer expenditures approximating 7%. Yet this could either be tempered or enhanced, depending upon the outcome of the 1983 Federal income tax reduction legislation.

Government spending will be higher in 1983 and lend good support to the economy. Look for a sizable growth in outlays for basic services at the federal level. The proposed monumental hike in defense spending will undoubtedly be trimmed somewhat in exchange for programs to put the jobless to work.

## CORPORATE PROFITS - DIVIDENDS

After 1982's dreadful showing, prospects favor an upswing in corporate profits after taxes during 1983. Betterment in business, some firming of prices, and benefits from cost-cutting measures instituted during the past year or more augur well for a rebound in net corporate earnings. Babson's forecast: Up at least 9%. However, competitive conditions will persist, posing some restraint on profits progress.

Corporate dividend payments will rule higher in 1983. Better profits will permit more instances of dividend rate increases than was seen in 1982 when there was a rash of cuts and omissions.

## FARM OUTLOOK

The beleaguered farm sector is expected to experience some relief in 1983. Increased exports of farm products should limit depressed farm prices upward, and there will be some betterment in farm income. But deep financial problems and large carryovers of farm surpluses cannot be cured quickly under normal circumstances.

## INFLATION - PRICES

The Fed persisted in its anti-inflation monetary policies over a good portion of 1982. Success of this course is evident in the sharply lowered (about 6% versus the double-digit scenario which plagued 1981) inflation rate, as measured by the average rate of monthly changes of the seasonally adjusted Consumer Price Index, annualized. For 1983, it is Babson's forecast that average monthly readings for the CPI will shade only fractionally lower. However, the bulk of the further betterment will occur in the first half of 1983. Beyond midyear, the effects of the upward trek in business will mean firmer prices, but no return of dangerously high inflationary pressures.

Supply gluts of oil, coal, metals and other industrial raw materials, plus heavy overhangs of foodstuffs, are bulwarks against any long run of still price increases during the year ahead. However, deeply depressed wholesale prices are bound to experience some revival.

## INTEREST RATES - MONEY & CREDIT

The welcomed downtrend in interest rates encompassing the entire span of the maturity scale exceeded expectations during 1982. Babson's foresees further easing early on in 1983. The prime rate, for example, could sag to around 10%. Long-term interest rates will also work more on the downside. However, sometime in the year's second half, firm-to-higher tendencies will bend interest rate curves back upward.

## FOREIGN AFFAIRS

U.S.-Soviet relations will not show much change until the new Kremlin leadership is fully organized. There will be a strong flow of rhetoric like the recent blasts debunking each other's arms and nuclear weapons charges, but no outright severing of dialogue in 1983. Thus, odds are against any early and substantive talks on nuclear and other arms limitations or reductions - more likely is movement in the opposite direction initially - but the atmosphere could improve later in the year. American influence on Mideast matters offers distinct opportunities for enhancement of U.S. prestige and role in that region, but only if our cards are played correctly. Prospects in Latin America are not as sanguine, with the danger more a matter of setbacks for U.S. efforts from time to time and consequent erosion in American influence.

## STOCK AND BOND OUTLOOK

The abrupt and spectacular transition in the trend of stock prices from down to up - bringing with it a similar basic change in investment sentiment during the late summer of 1982 - was an important development. The staff of Babson's Reports regards the change as a basic and genuine trend reversal which is not apt to run its course quickly. As a matter of record, therefore, the Babson forecast is for stock prices to work higher in 1983, with the Dow Jones industrial average moving in a range of 940 on the downside to 1250 on the upside, although it would not be a surprise to see the DJIA brushing against the 1300 mark at its peak for the year. Thus, Babson's recommends that investors adhere to an 1983 investment policy which is more aggressive than otherwise - yet consistent with the individual needs of each investor. The impressive rally of second-half 1982 notwithstanding, many common stock prices have merely rebounded from deeply oversold levels and hence can still make rewarding upside progress. Judicious selections can be made to beef up portfolios, whether the investor's goal is growth, capital appreciation, or income, or any combination thereof. The bond market also can make further upside progress during the year ahead.

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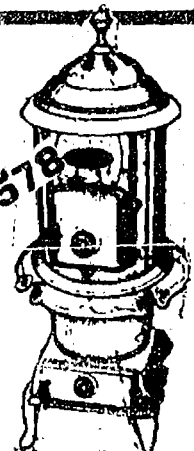
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Default having been made in the conditions of certain mortgages made the 15th day of October, 1979; and the 16th day of December, 1980, by James F. Smith and Rita E. Smith, Husband and Wife; as mortgagors, to the United States of America, as mortgagee, and recorded on October 18, 1979 and December 16, 1980, in the Office of the Register of Deeds for Crawford County, Michigan in Books 182 and 193 of mortgages on pages 200-203 and 21-24, respectively; on which mortgages there is claimed to be due and unpaid at the date of this Notice One Hundred Fifteen Thousand Seven Hundred Thirty and 00/100 Dollars (\$115,730) principal and Thirty Thousand Two Hundred Twenty-two and 71/100 Dollars (\$30,222.71) interest; no suit or proceeding at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the debt, or any part of the debt, secured by said mortgages, and the power of sale contained in said mortgages, having become operative by reason of such default;

NOW, THEREFORE, Notice is hereby Given that on February 16, 1983, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon at the front steps (east side) of the Courthouse in Grayling, Michigan, that being the place for holding the Circuit Court for the County of Crawford, there will be offered for sale and sold to the highest bidder, at public sale, for the purpose of satisfying the amounts due and unpaid upon said mortgages, together with the legal costs and charges of sale provided by law and in said mortgages, the lands and premises in said mortgages mentioned and described, as follows, to-wit:

costs, charges and expenses, including real estate taxes which may be paid by the undersigned necessary to protect its interest in the premises.

Said premises are described as follows: State of Michigan, County of Crawford, in the Township of Grayling, to-wit: A parcel of land bounded by and included within a line commencing at a point which is 33 feet North and 450 feet West of the SE corner of Section 6, T26N, R3W, and running thence North 240 feet, thence West 60 feet, thence South 240 feet, thence 60 feet to the Point of Beginning, being a part of the SE 1/4 of the SE 1/4 Section 6, T26N, R3W. AND ALSO: a parcel of land bounded by and included within a line commencing at a point which is 33 feet North and 510 feet West of the Southeast corner of Section 6, T26N, R3W, and running North 240 feet, thence West 58.88 feet, thence South 240 feet, thence East 58.5 feet to the point of Beginning, being a part of the SE 1/4 of the SE 1/4 of Section 6, T26N, R3W.

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DATED: December 16, 1982  
Emil L. Kraus,  
Attorney for Mortgagee  
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The Grayling State Bank,  
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23-30-6-13.

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Default having been made in the terms and conditions of a certain mortgage made by George W. Erickson and Shirley J. Erickson, his wife of Route 2 Box 2334, Grayling, Michigan, 49738, Mortgagors, to the Grayling State Bank, A Michigan Corporation of Grayling, Michigan 49738 Mortgage dated April 7, 1977 and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Crawford and State of Michigan on the 11 day of April, 1977, and in Liber 159 on Page 59, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due, at the date of this action for principal, interest, and real estate taxes paid by mortgagor, the sum of Nine Thousand Five Hundred Ninety-One Dollars and 90/100 (\$9,591.90).

And no suit or proceedings at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof. Now therefore, by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute of the State of Michigan in such case made and provided notice is hereby given that on the 2nd day of March 1983 at 10:00 O'clock A.M. said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale at public auction to the highest bidder, at the front door of the Crawford County Building, in the City of Grayling, Michigan (that being the building where the Circuit Court for the County of Crawford is held), of the premises described in the amount due, as aforesaid, on said mortgage, with the interest thereon at 9 1/2% per cent, annu and all legal costs, charges and expenses, including real estate taxes which may be paid by the undersigned necessary to protect its interest in the premises.

Said premises are described as follows: State of Michigan County of Crawford, in the Township of Grayling, to-wit: A parcel of land beginning at a point on the centerline of Old M-93, 1, 120.5 feet Southwesterly of the intersection of the North line of Southwest 1/4 of Northeast 1/4 of Section 13, Town 26 North, Range 4 West, with said centerline of Old M-93; thence at right angles to said centerline Northwesterly 183 ft; thence at right angles Southwesterly to the West line of said Southwest 1/4 of Northeast 1/4; thence Southerly along said West line 252 feet to the centerline of said Old M-93; thence Northeast 258.93 feet to the Point of Beginning. Being part of the Southwest 1/4 of the Northeast 1/4 of Section 13, Town 26 North, Range 4 West, lying Northwesterly of Old M-93, as now existing on the premises.

SUBJECT TO: Restrictions, reservations and easements of record.

The redemption period will be six months from the time of such sale.

Property may be redeemed by paying the amount of the bid at the foreclosure sale plus interest and any unpaid encumbrances on the property from date of sale.

Dated: January 5, 1983.  
Mr. Edward A. Hoffman,  
Attorney-In-Charge,  
United States Department  
of Agriculture,  
Room 2920,  
230 South Dearborn Street,  
Chicago, Illinois 60604  
Attorney for Mortgagee.  
For Additional Information,  
please contact: UNITED  
STATES OF AMERICA, acting  
through Farmers Home  
Administration, Room 209,  
1405 South Harrison Road,  
East Lansing, Michigan  
48823, Mortgagee.  
-6-13-20-27-

## Notice of Mortgage Sale

Default having been made in the terms and conditions of a certain mortgage made by Northern Pines Associates Inc., A Michigan Corporation of P. O. Box 508, Grayling, Michigan 49738, Mortgagors, to the Grayling State Bank, A Michigan Corporation of Grayling, Michigan 49738 Mortgage dated May 28, 1982 and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Crawford and State of Michigan on the 1st day of June 1982, and in Liber 206 on Page 602, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due, at the date of this action for principal, interest, and real estate taxes paid by mortgagor, the sum of Six Thousand Two Hundred Ninety-Five Dollars and 70/100 (\$6,295.70).

And no suit or proceedings at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof. Now therefore, by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute of the State of Michigan in such case made and provided notice is hereby given that on the 2nd day of March 1983 at 10:15 O'clock A.M. said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale at public auction to the highest bidder, at the front door of the Crawford County Building, in the City of Grayling, Michigan (that being the building where the Circuit Court for the County of Crawford is held), of the premises described in the amount due, as aforesaid, on said mortgage, with the interest thereon at 19.00% per cent, annu and all legal

costs, charges and expenses, including real estate taxes which may be paid by the undersigned necessary to protect its interest in the premises.

Said premises are described as follows: State of Michigan County of Crawford, in the Township of Grayling, to-wit: A parcel of land bounded by and included within a line commencing at a point which is 33 feet North and 450 feet West of the SE corner of Section 6, T26N, R3W, and running thence North 240 feet, thence West 60 feet, thence South 240 feet, thence 60 feet to the Point of Beginning, being a part of the SE 1/4 of the SE 1/4 Section 6, T26N, R3W. AND ALSO: a parcel of land bounded by and included within a line commencing at a point which is 33 feet North and 510 feet West of the Southeast corner of Section 6, T26N, R3W, and running North 240 feet, thence West 58.88 feet, thence South 240 feet, thence East 58.5 feet to the point of Beginning, being a part of the SE 1/4 of the SE 1/4 of Section 6, T26N, R3W.

The redemption period shall be six months from the date of such sale.

DATED: December 16, 1982  
Emil L. Kraus,  
Attorney for Mortgagee  
228 Michigan Avenue  
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The Grayling State Bank,  
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The boys also decorated the Christmas tree that was donated by Mr. Helsel. The tree was then given to the Joel Mack family.

We all sang Christmas Carols, and the big moment came with Santa's arrival. The Wolf and Bear Cubs, leaders, and committee members received Cub Scout mugs, and the Webelos received compasses from Santa.

There was also McDonald's drink and homemade cookies and candy for all. Then finally came the pinata full of candy. Fun was had by all.

We wish to express our appreciation to the people of the community who have helped Pack 3993 throughout the year 1982.

Our next big event will be the space derby - hope all the scouts are having fun making these. (Jim Adams Photo)

## City Council Proceedings

Regular meeting of the City Council held December 27, 1982. The meeting was called to order by Mayor Thompson at 7:30 p.m.

Members present: Latuszek, Thompson, Sabin, Sloan, Golinick.

Members absent: None.

Also in Attendance: Allen V. Schreiner, City Treasurer, Patricia Schreiner, A.D. Sorenson.

Motion by Golinick, supported by Latuszek that the minutes of the meeting of 12-13-82 be approved as presented. Ayes: 5, Nays: 0, Absent: 0, motion carried.

Citizens who wish to speak. There were no Citizens who wished to speak.

Communications were received and noted.

From Beautification Committee re: Meeting Minutes.

From M.M.L. re: Legislative Bulletin.

From Lora Gould re: New Senior Citizens Units.

From Grayling Housing Commission re: Meeting Minutes.

The Housing Commission was discussed in general. Mr. Sabin stated that in his opinion the Housing Commission vehicle should have a Municipal plate on it. He also suggested that vehicle log books should be in any city vehicle which might possibly be used for any private purpose and such private use should be recorded in the log. Mr. Sabin asked about the Housing Commission appointment. Mr. Golinick stated that it was his understanding that Mr. Morford would have additional information after the first of the year about such appointments.

Council made the recommendation that any person driving a municipal vehicle use the utmost discretion in such use to avoid the appearance of using city vehicles for private use.

Old Business. There was no Old Business.

New Business. There was no New Business.

Reports of Councilmen.

Mayor Thompson displayed to Council a plaque which he expects to present to the Mayor of the City of Frankenmuth.

This presentation will be made at a Council meeting in Frankenmuth as a Thank-You gesture for their generous hospitality during the last Mayor Exchange Day.

Reports of City Manager. Mr. Schreiner reported on the following.

Status of Beaver Creek Fire Department. As of January 1, 1983 the Beaver Creek Fire Department intends to assume responsibility for that area of the Township South of 7 Mile Road which is currently being serviced by the Grayling/Grayling Township Fire Department. It is also expected that effective February 1, 1983 they will assume responsibility for that Township area North of Seven Mile Road. If for some reason this is not possible they will notify Grayling and Grayling Township as soon as possible.

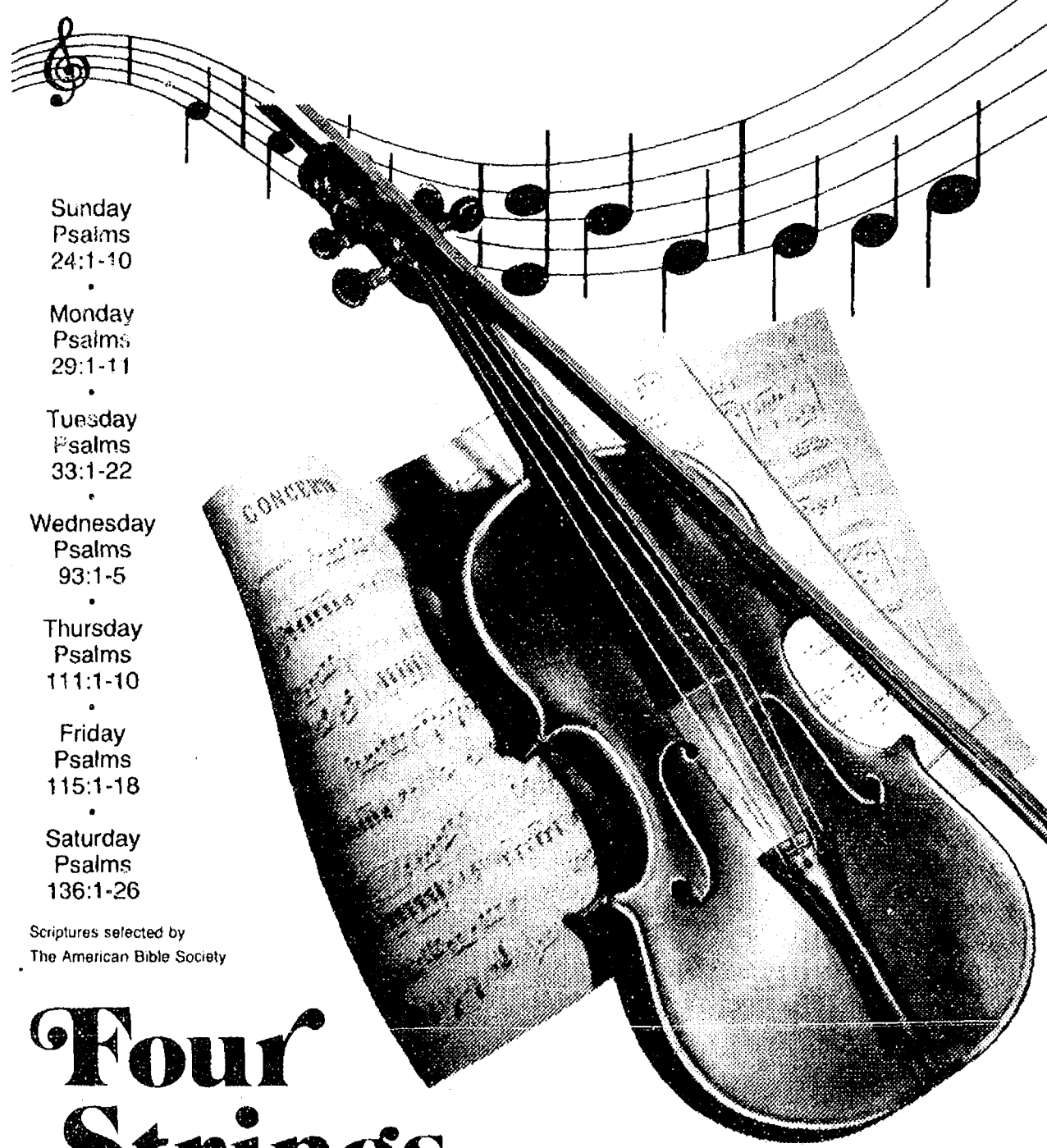
Adjournment.

Motion by Golinick, supported by Sloan that the meeting be adjourned. Ayes: 5, Nays: 0, Absent: 0, motion carried. The meeting was adjourned at 9:30 p.m.

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Prayer Meeting Tues. 7:00 p.m.  
All are welcome.

#### CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY

206 Fifth St.  
Gaylord, Michigan

Church Services 10:30 a.m.

#### ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH

Rev. Donald Roberts  
911 Elm St., Phone 348-7132

Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Morning Worship 11 a.m.

Evening Service 6 p.m.  
Prayer Meeting Wed., 7 p.m.

#### LOVELLS CHAPEL

Rev. Harry Hilton  
Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Chapel Service 11 a.m.

#### CRAWFORD COUNTY ASSOCIATION OF CHURCHES

704 Erie St. - Grayling, Mi.  
Phone 348-9682

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#### JEHOVAH'S WITNESSES

Mr. Donald P. Nardin  
Mr. Robert T. Kinn  
Ph. 348-4981, Kingdom Hall

Public Talk Sun., 10 a.m.  
Wat. Study Sun., 11 a.m.

Book Study Tues., 8 p.m.  
Ministry School Thurs., 7:30 p.m.

Service Meeting Thurs., 8:30 p.m.

#### MT. HOPE EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH MISSOURI SYNOD

Rev. Dale A. Bond - Pastor  
905 Old U.S. 27 North

At the junction of M-93 & Old 27  
Grayling, Mich.

Saturday Worship 7:00 p.m.  
Sunday School and Adult Bible Class, 9:00 a.m.

Sunday Worship

June 20 thru Labor Day, 8:00 a.m.  
Sunday Worship 10:30 a.m.

#### MICHELSON MEMORIAL UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Minister: Jeffery D. Regan  
Education Ass't: Ann Morford

Worship Services 8:30 & 11 a.m.  
Church School 9:40 a.m.

Youth Fellowship Sun., 7:00 p.m.  
Cherub & Jr. Choir Thurs., 6:30 pm

Senior Choir Thurs., 7:30 p.m.

#### FREE METHODIST CHURCH

Larry Evoy - Pastor  
6652 W. Kalkaska Rd.  
(M-72 West) - Phone 348-5362

Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Morning Worship 11 a.m.

Evening Service 6 p.m.  
Prayer Meeting Wed., 7 p.m.

#### CHURCH OF CHRIST

Gordon French - Minister  
8724 Old US 27 - Phone 348-8573

Sunday: Sunday School 10:15 a.m.

Communion & Preaching 11 a.m.

Sunday Evening 6 p.m.

Tues. Mid-week Bible Study - 7 pm

Write or call for free Bible correspondence course.

#### BEAR LAKE CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Bear Lake Township  
Community Center, M-72

Rev. Glenn Frye - Pastor  
Services - 10:30 a.m.

#### AUSABLE VALLEY CHURCH OF GOD

6330 Johnson — Frederic  
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Evening Service 7:00 p.m.

Wed. Prayer Service 7:00 p.m.

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## Archery

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1983, at the Grayling Archery Club. The club is located behind the old Fred Bear Museum at Hanson Hills. The host club will be Traverse City. Guest shooters from the area are invited to participate in the tournaments. Future shoots will be announced.

The Wednesday night Grayling Archery League has commenced. Those still interested in shooting should come to the club on Wednesday evenings at 7:30 p.m.

For specific information on the shooting schedule, fees, or Straits Field Association, you may call or write: Cynde Thompson, P.O. Box 9, Houghton Lake Heights, Michigan 48630, 517/366-8471.

## BIDS WANTED

The Crawford AuSable School District will accept sealed bids on replacement carpeting until 4:00 p.m. January 27th, 1983 at 403 Michigan Avenue, Grayling, Michigan. The right is reserved to reject any or all bids. Bid specifications may be obtained from the Board of Education office at the location listed above.

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## Bowling Leagues

### PIONEER LEAGUE

1. Laura's Bath Shoppe.....7
2. Terry's 76.....6
3. Northern National Bank.....4
4. Cornell Agency.....4
5. Donnelly's Upholstery.....4
6. Avalauche.....4
7. Dawson.....2
8. Millikin Construction.....1

High Game: B. Worden 215, J. Whitse 199, B. Pryor 198.

High Series: J. Whitse 562, K. Bankert 525, B. Pryor 515.

### SUNDAY NIGHT MIXED DOUBLES

1. Down River True Value.....32
2. Everything Electronic.....27
3. Fancy Step Shoes.....24
4. Fuelgas.....23
5. A.J.D. Forest Products.....23
6. Super Saver.....18
7. Carlisle Paddies.....17
8. Holiday Mart.....16

High Game: C. Sutfeld 179, S. Kea 175, C. Montgomery 171.

High Series: C. Sutfeld 486, C. Montgomery 483, K. Mosher 464.

High Game: W. Fedewa 208, R. Kea 190, S. Persing 184.

High Series: R. Kea 507, S. Persing 499, M. Morrow 495.

### END OF FIRST HALF RECREATION LEAGUE

1. Lovell Hardware.....4
2. Grayling Bank.....4
3. R & H Sport Center.....3
4. Bay City Times.....3
5. Spikes.....3
6. Oxbow Club.....2 1/2
7. Sawmill.....2
8. Al's Shirt & Music.....2
9. Krumel Beverage.....1 1/2
10. Judo Club.....1
11. Milltown Traders.....1
12. Timberview Village.....1
13. Grayling Power.....0
14. Scheys Country House.....0

High Series: C. Bellanger 540, S. Hoffman 512, C. Montgomery 493.

High Game: B. Grant 280, C. Bellanger 190, P. Rodney 184.

### AMERICAN 2nd DIVISION

1. Sawmill.....4
2. ProMart.....4
3. Stewart Sandwiches.....4
4. American Legion.....3
5. Skips.....1
6. Schafers Bakeries.....0
7. White Carpet.....0
8. Ken's TV.....0

High Series: L. Howard 566, R. Weaver 521, H. Olson, K. Potter, D. Whitse 502.

High Game: L. Howard 207, T. Grant 203, L. Howard 196.

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### ROOKIE ROLLERS

1. Grayling State Bank.....6
2. R & H Sports.....5
3. Grayling 4-H.....3
4. Rochettes.....3
5. NNB.....3
6. A.J.D. Forest Products.....3
7. The Strikers.....1
8. Holiday Inn.....0

High Series: S. Cluciala 231, S. Haas 217, I. Doten 178.

High Game: S. Cluciala 132, 99, S. Haas 116, 101, I. Doten & T. Hough 94.

High Series: C. Fedewa 199, C. Knight 127, J. Hayes 124, L. Wisniewski 124.

High Game: C. Fedewa 117, C. Knight 72, L. Wisniewski & J. Hayes 63.

### NITEOWL MIXED DOUBLES

1. Northern Pines.....4
2. R & H Sports.....3
3. Helsel's Firewood.....3
4. Panda Bears.....3
5. Essence of Beauty.....1
6. North Country Lodge.....1
7. CC Sherbert Reserve.....0

High Series: V. Hatfield 563, B. Pryor 507, J. Ingalls 499.

High Game: V. Hatfield 213, B. Pryor 187, V. Hatfield 185.

High Series: R. Helsel 592, B. Pryor 565, J. Sampsel 547.

High Game: R. Helsel 234, J. Sampsel 221, B. Pryor 204.

### TRIANGLE MEN'S LEAGUE

1. Parson's Advertising.....14
2. Glen's Mkt.....12
3. Century 21.....10
4. Milltown Party Store.....9
5. Team No. 6.....7
6. Jack the Tinner.....6
7. Cain's Potato Chips.....2

High Series: D. Johnson 565, F. Arwood 548, J. Gordon 516.

High Game: Jake Helsel 210, Jerry Helsel 206, J. Gordon 203.

## District Court

The following persons appeared in 83rd District Court before Judge Francis L. Walsh:

Timothy Thompson, 17, of Grayling, demanded preliminary examination to a charge of receiving and concealing stolen property valued more than \$100.

Richard Press, 18, of Grayling, plead guilty to a charge of malicious destruction of property valued less than \$100. He was sentenced 30 days in the county jail to be served concurrently. He was cited Sept. 15 after a citizen complaint.

James Demaestri, 20, of Kalamazoo, plead guilty to a charge of driving with a revoked license. He was fined \$85 and 3 days or 10 additional days. He was cited Nov. 28 by state police.

Marvin Hutchinson, 51, of Taylor, plead guilty to a charge of impaired driving and was fined \$255 or 14 days. He was cited Sept. 25 by sheriff deputies.

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